

JUDGE KELLER OPENS NATIONAL ANNIVERSARY WEEK ACTIVITY OF BUCKS CO. SCOUT COUNCIL; JUDGE BOYER IS ALSO PARTICIPANT AT AFFAIR

Many Men, Active in Scouting Throughout County, Gather
For the Program, and Address the Large Assembly in the
Court House at Doylestown

(Special to Courier)

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 10.—"We have met once again in this Court Room to pay honor and tribute to these Scouts and their leaders who have gathered here from every section of our council, in annual session, and to recognize their accomplishments of the past year with suitable honors, and rewards," said President Judge Hiram H. Keller, as he opened the National Anniversary Week activity of the Bucks County Scouting Council. The Court of Honor was conducted in Court Room No. 1 of the Court House, yesterday afternoon, 2:30 o'clock.

Judge Keller continued: "There is being celebrated during this week, throughout these United States, the 26th anniversary of the founding of the Boy Scouts of America. It marks the completion of 25 years of service by our movement to our American youth. During this period, nearly 7,000,000 of our American boys have become Scouts, and have had the privilege and opportunity of its training experiences. In the 73 countries, throughout the world, in which there is 'Scouting,' more than 10,000,000 persons have been affiliated with the organization. From what was conceived during the South African or Boer War, as a means of protection of the English soldiers by Lord Baden-Powell from the native warfare methods of the South African Bushmen or savages, there has grown the greatest peace loving youth program that has ever been conceived since the birth of man.

"Scouting, as a Council unit, dates back to 1927, when the Bucks County Scouting Council was organized. Its influence as a character training agency upon the youth of our Council is so obvious, and its importance as citizenship training agency has been so thoroughly demonstrated from time to time, in various ways by our Scouts, that it needs no argument on my part to state the importance that you and I should give our unstinted support, both moral and financial.

"Since 1927, to the present time, there have been 4593 boys and 2092 men who have become members of this organization in our Council. It is to be regretted because of the lack of sufficient financial resources, that, we cannot extend our activities and reach more of our boys who are asking for 'Scouting.' Scouting is not intended to take the place of our schools, Sunday Schools and churches. On the contrary, it is based on the idea of co-operating with and supplementing the works of these organizations as a constructive, character-building and citizenship training agency. It provides for the boys' leisure time, and teaches him how to use it to his best advantage.

"In Scouting, we have a common aim, and purpose; the Daily Good Turn. This is but a practical application of the principle taught in the 'Golden Rule.' Whether it be as a Cub Scout, Scoutmaster or Rover, or as an adult; whether, it be at home, at school, at church or at their unit meetings—at all times, Scouts duty in their contacts with others, are expected to keep faith with this objective, and think in what way they can render service to others.

"Some people think there is too much done for the youth of today. This is far from true. We do not do enough. He is our most important asset. The boy of today is the young man of tomorrow. The time to do things for him is TODAY. Our Council is halfway towards its tenth birthday objective of 1500 boys annually in Scouting by 1937. It is going to require devoted, concentrated and co-operative leadership to attain this worthy but difficult goal. You adults who have come to this Court of Honor are examples of the interest that needs to be shown in every part of our Council. 'Forward for Youth' is our slogan. We shall not rest, we shall not tire, we shall not ease up, and be satisfied. Youth must be led today. Forward for Youth we shall go along together."

Five Eagle Scouts were recognized

THIS DATE IN NEWS OF PAST

Monday, February 10
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1916—Consuls of Germany and Turkey were indicted at San Francisco for conspiracy against U. S. neutrality.

1919—Delegates to peace conference at Versailles drafted preliminary agreement.

1933—Ernie Schaaf was fatally injured by blow received in bout with Primo Carnera.

1934—Japan held national celebration of birth of a crown prince.

1935—A pool in pepper burst in London stock market, costing speculators \$15,000,000.

PARTY RESPONSIBILITY

(The Morrisville Herald, February 6, 1936)

A mob, congregated to right a wrong, runs riot because leaderless. The atmosphere of irresponsibility, fanning its passions as a fire, soon it is out of control and even sensible minds in its midst are swept aside.

The country has witnessed something of this during the last three years in the administration of our government. Every one is befuddled.

Let us look straight across the years and, recalling, think clearly.

Stirred by patriotic fervor, we entered the war "to save Democracy" and sacrificed our youth and our money in Europe's mad frenzy.

In the wake of wars ruin follows financial panic. Germany, France, Italy, Russia and England had paid the price. England alone emerged with her government intact.

Their years of adversity were ours of prosperity and, strange as it may seem, we were flooded with writings and preachments of the isms of the fallen governments.

Theories suggesting methods of taking up the slack of industry in lean years, treatises on the need of lower tariffs because of the debts of Europe and the subject of social security were a few of the things absorbing our minds.

The Wilson administration taught every one how to buy bonds, a subject previously assigned the banker, and finally we all went into the spree of stock speculation and then — the fireworks.

With so many burned fingers everybody howled; howled at the banker, the broker, big business, at the government, at Hoover; just howled.

The scene was now set for a riot and the Democratic Congress in the last administration got on a soap box and egged on the mob.

The Roosevelt Administration came in with sound promises; it would correct the ills of the people and, believing some one else was responsible for what we have chiefly brought on ourselves, all turned with great hope to the man who was speaking above the tumult.

Here is where all the crack brained ideas were injected. N. R. A. parades and the other lettered plans stirred the people to a frenzy of enthusiasm. Into the picture came planned economy, made work, housing schemes, power plans. Who dared object?

Objections brought attacks on business, on industry and with a wilful intent to create class prejudice, the thing that keeps Europe a mad house.

The elixir of popular acclaim went to their heads and drunk with power they have forgotten their objective.

What was this objective?

To put men to work and allow none to starve.

But these bureaucratic theorists are madly tearing down the very fabric of our institutions. Free traders have delivered our business, body and soul, to foreign lands; to those who not only refuse to pay their debts to us but who are now taking out our gold to pay their bills.

How can men be put to work? How can men keep their honor under this when they are facing starvation?

Into the midst of this bedlam comes the appeal for social security. It's the tired, discouraged, hungry soul again looking hopefully for peace and food and rest from this mob rule.

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Name Nursing Director To Red Cross in Four Counties

Miss Virginia Elliman has been appointed as Director of Public Health and Nursing of the Southeastern Pennsylvania Chapter, American Red Cross for the counties of Delaware, Montgomery, Chester and Bucks.

This position was recently filled by Miss Ella E. McNeil.

Miss Elliman is well qualified to fill this position, having been graduated with the B. S. Degree from Washington University, St. Louis, with supplementary post-graduate work at Columbia University. Teaching in schools of nursing has been a specialty of Miss Elliman, as well as the practical work and as a supervisor. From 1930 to 1934 she was a member of the staff of the Henry Street Settlement in New York City, acting as supervisor of one of the centers.

Recently Miss Elliman was directing nursing activities in charge of the Red Cross during a typhoid epidemic in the state of Kentucky.

Miss Elliman may be reached at the Chapter Headquarters, 2100 Delancey street, Philadelphia.

TWO CEREMONIES ARE HELD BY COUNTY SCOUTS

Awards Made in Crowded
Court Room Yesterday

RECIPIENTS ARE LISTED

DOYLESTOWN, Feb. 10.—Before the filled Court House previous to the Boy Scouts' Court of Honor there were two ceremonies; the awards to the Scouting Jubilee Tradition Builders, and the Order of the Arrow—the Honor Camp Brotherhood.

The Tradition Builder awards were made by Scout Commissioner William Burgess assisted by Scout Executive William F. Livermore. Tradition certificates were presented containing legal seals for high adventure, brotherhood, service, good appearance, and a Scout-trained citizenry. No units were able to win all five seals. One seal units were Trevose, Scoutmaster William E. Forepaugh; South Langhorne, Scoutmaster H. U. Miller; New Hope, Scoutmaster Robert Higgins; and Siles, Scoutmaster Willis Wisman. Two seal units included: Sellersville, Scoutmaster J. Kenneth Muninger; Doylestown No. 1, Assistant Scoutmaster William M. Carlin, Jr.; Hartsville, Rev. Ernest Vanden Bosch; Yardley, Assistant Scoutmaster James Marion; Seacout Ship Yardley Clipper, Skipper William Whitehead; Cornwells, Scoutmaster William Amick, Sr.; Richlandtown, Scoutmaster A. P. Stoneback, Jr.; Newtown No. 2, Scoutmaster Charles Weidenhafer; Seacout Ship Robert Morris, Skipper H. Harper Stockham; Edgely, Scoutmaster Roland Swain; Bristol No. 7, Scoutmaster Leslie Craven; and Perkasie No. 2, Scoutmaster Frederick Schmidt. Three seal units: Morrisville, Scoutmaster James Fennimore; Quakertown No. 1, Scoutmaster Chester A. Foulke; Perkasie No. 1, Scoutmaster Clarence Souder; Riegelsville, Scoutmaster Edward W. Shearer; Andalusia, Scoutmaster George Bloesch; Seacout Ship Wasp, of Andalusia, Skipper Harry Behm; Doylestown No. 2, Scoutmaster Hillborn Darlington, Jr.; Langhorne, Assistant Scoutmaster Emerson Green; Chalfont, Scoutmaster Gilbert W. Carlin; New Britain, Scoutmaster, Rev. Chas. A. Weed; Seacout Ranger of Sellersville; Perkasie, Skipper F. P. Kemmerer; and Seacout Ship Rainbow Clipper of Croydon, Skipper Robert P. Brenner, Jr. Four seal units: Bristol No. 1, Scoutmaster Herbert A. Pettit, Jr.; Chalfont Rover Crew, Rover Crew Leader Charles E. Poole; Milford, Scoutmaster Lewis H. Fetherolf; Seacout Ship Elks, of Bristol, Skipper Fred R. Herman; and Quakertown No. 2, Scoutmaster William S. Whiteley.

Led by Sakima Burtis C. Tomlinson, of Morrisville, the Order of the Arrow dramatized their opening exercises. Indian Chief was Eagle Scout Carl S. Ledy, and tom-tom beater was Henry Pickering. The Indian's faith in the four winds of the north, south, east and west were portrayed. Many members of the tribe from all parts of the Council were present. The Honor Campers have made the annual Court of Honor, one of their Council Fire gatherings.

Second Class badges were awarded to the following Scouts: Wilbur Albright, William Fry, Marvin A. Skeath, Walter VanDoren, John Warren and Charles E. Weik, of Bristol No. 1; John Hamor, Harold L. Keller, and David Smith, of Trevose; William Curtis and Wilson Stackhouse, of Andalusia; Walter Bachman, Harry Gunggan, Benjamin Larzelere, Sam. Leaver, William Schmieder, and Robert Sigafos, of Doylestown No. 2; Lewis Bispham, John Boorse, Samuel Dontauff, Walter MacMath and Fred Reukau, of South Langhorne; William Gentry and John Yost, of Morrisville No. 3; Frank Boehret and James Boehret, Chalfont; Edward Bergmann, Harold Bergmann, Albert Doster, Stanley H. Felkner, Frances Moon and Burden F. Pedrick, Edgely; Richard H. Burd, Ralph C. Vasey, and Harvey R. Walton, of Carversville; Richard Applebach, Robert A. Barnes, and

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OIL STOVE EXPLODES, SETTING HOUSE AFIRE AND DAMAGING PROPERTY, AS FAMILY SITS LISTENING TO RADIO

Lincoln Avenue Dwelling, Store, Contents and Garage Are
Damaged to Extent of Approximately \$4,000.00 — Oil
Feeds Flames and Firemen Use Three Streams of Water
to Extinguish It — Gains Much Headway.

LATEST NEWS - - - Received by International News Service Leased Wires.

Arctic Wave Grips Nation

The greater part of the nation today was in the grip of the most paralyzing Arctic wave of the centuries.

A great blanket of intense cold followed by blizzards brought railway and highway traffic to a standstill, and increased the suffering.

Seven CCC boys were adrift on an ice flow off Cape Cod, Mass.

Sioux City, Iowa, was practically marooned by huge snowdrifts. Three more persons are believed lost on an ice flow off Charlevoix, Mich. Cold was raging through South Dakota, Minnesota, Illinois, and Western Ohio. Hundreds of towns have not seen a railroad train for over a week.

Chicago was threatened with a milk shortage when a blizzard blocked the highways into the city.

In Indiana, almost three weeks of cold and blizzards have taken a toll of 70 lives. Fire losses amounted to over a million dollars. In Indianapolis, it was four below at 7 a. m., while weather forecasters saw no relief in sight for 24 hours.

St. Louis was in the grip of a cold wave. For the first time since 1919, the Mississippi River was frozen over.

Pennsylvania reported near zero readings in the western section of the state, but milder in the eastern section. Four deaths were due to the cold wave over the week-end.

Scout Council To Have Dinner at Hotel Here

The Lower Bucks District Board of the Bucks County Scouting Council will have a dinner meeting at the Keystone Hotel, here, tomorrow evening, at seven o'clock. District Chairman Walter W. Pitzenka will preside. The chairman of committees, and leaders of units will be present to represent their various Seacout Ships, Scout Troops, and Cub Packs.

Scout Executive William F. Livermore will be present, and render a survey report of the advancement and membership tabulation of all units. District Commissioner Herbert A. Pettit will receive reports from Neighborhood Commissioners David Neill and Joseph Mountney, of Bristol; A. B. Stiles, Croydon; William Amick, Sr., Cornwells; and Harry E. Oliver, of Andalusia. Merit Badge Commissioner Jesse Wendkos will give a summary of the recent advancements at the January Merit Badge Review Board.

Plans will be made for the entertainment of the Ninth Bucks County Scouting Anniversary on Saturday, April 11th, when the entire Council Membership will be present at Bristol. Announcements will be made at the Council Meeting to be held at Bristol on Monday evening, March 2nd.

Engagement of Miss Morganti And P. Paoletta Announced

The engagement of Miss Helen Morganti, 2066 Trenton avenue, to Philip Paoletta, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Paoletta, Sr., 333 Penn street, was announced at a family party at the home of Miss Morganti Saturday evening.

Attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Philip Paoletta, the Misses Mary, Julia and Jane Morganti, Mr. and Mrs. Anthony Micozzi and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nicolas Paoletta, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Sionne and family, Mrs. Annette Sionne, Miss Mary Di Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. James Gallone and Fred Varrati, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Pone, Mr. and Mrs. Patrick Pone and daughter, Dorothy; Mr. and Mrs. Cosley Pone, Alfonso Pone, Jr., and daughter, Anne, Alfonso Pone, Sr., and Miss May Emely, all of Trenton, N. J.; Miss Rose Piroli, Tullytown.

Refreshments were served, dancing enjoyed and Miss Morganti was the recipient of many beautiful gifts.

Fire Saturday night damaged a dwelling, store, contents and garage attached to the extent of approximately \$4,000. The property was owned by Carlo Barraco, 332 Lincoln avenue. The property of Emilio Trassatti, 330 Lincoln avenue, was damaged by smoke. The blaze was due to the explosion of an oil stove and originated in the kitchen of the Barraco premises.

The Bristol Consolidated Fire Department was summoned and upon arrival found they had a very difficult blaze to fight and one which had gained much headway. Chief Hagerman states that the blaze was burning 15 or 20 minutes before the alarm was sounded. An employee of the Moffo garage, across the street, told Chief Hagerman he attempted to extinguish the fire with two hand extinguishers, which apparently had been frozen, according to Hagerman.

Three streams of water were played on the flames before they were brought under control. Firemen carried their way into the cellar where a gas meter was turned off, after the odor of gas had attracted their attention.

The Barraco family had to vacate their home and took up their residence with relatives where Mr. Barraco was ill, following the excitement and a realization of the loss he had sustained.

It is stated that the Barraco family of five were sitting in the room adjoining the kitchen when a neighbor ran in and shouted that their kitchen was ablaze. The door was opened and flames shot out in all directions. Mr. and Mrs. Barraco and the three children, made a quick exit from the place and Fred Caucci, a neighbor, ran for the alarm box at Lincoln avenue and Wood street. Caucci lives at 334 Lincoln avenue and as he came out of the rear of his house he saw the flames in the Barraco dwelling. The Barraco family were talking and listening to the radio and it is believed this was the reason they did not notice the fire in the adjoining room.

Chief Hagerman responded with the first truck and after the blaze had been extinguished he made a hasty survey and stated that he believed the loss would reach \$4,000.

The firemen succeeded in stopping the blaze in the Barraco kitchen and garage, adjoining but smoke and water did considerable damage to the rest of the house and the stock in the store. Smoke blackened the paper in the Trassatti house and the flames began burning through the floor, but the firemen got at it in time to prevent its further spread.

The blaze had gained such headway and being fed by the oil from the exploding stove, Chief Hagerman ordered three streams directed on the fire, so as to prevent its spread in a congested area.

MOTHERS TO MEET

The regular meeting of the Mothers' Association will be held in Bristol high school auditorium, Wednesday evening. Final arrangements will be made for their annual card party.

Terrier Can't Be Found

ICKESBURG, Pa., Feb. 10.—(INS)—Missing or dead, Roy Dewalt's rock-trapped white fox terrier cannot be found.

That was the bitter victory held today by rescue workers who, overcoming a wall of solid rock with chisel and drill, finally broke into the crevice on Tuscarora Mountain where the Landisburg farmer's pet had been held captive for almost three weeks.

The dog was gone.

A scattering of tell-tale white hairs, some scratchings in the ice and small rocks where he had lain, were all that they found. Food lay untouched where it had been pushed through the tunnel.

Nine would-be rescuers who struggled up the mountain slope through a driving snow yesterday feel certain the animal, trapped while chasing a fox, is dead. Whether he was crushed in a rock fall caused by blasting the cave on Tuesday or crawled off to die in the cold, may never be known.

Albert Snyder, one of the men who crawled through the narrow opening to where the dog had been whimpering his protest for more than a fortnight, said the place was "full of crevices." Snyder said that with the aid of a flashlight he could see about 15 feet further into the mountainside, but found no trace of the terrier.

"We've pretty near given it all up now," he added, "I think the dog is dead."

Dewalt, who lives 14 miles distant, has not visited the crevice since Wednesday, it was learned.

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FORECASTING THE WEATHER

From street corner conversations as well as comment at the family fireside, we gather that the idea is abroad in the town that weather forecasting is not a science but a guessing game. The idea is erroneous and we hasten to make amends, in so far as we can, to the weather bureau.

There is, in point of fact, nothing within our rather extensive knowledge that is quite so scientific as weather forecasting. And, if any reader is skeptical, let him consider this: If you were a weather forecaster, which would you rather do—predict rain and have it turn out fair and warmer or predict fair and have it rain? Think how mad a picnic party can be after a good wetting, before you pick the scientific answer to this question.

The same applies to the choice between snow and no snow. The reader by now will see at a glance what the scientific attitude should be when a strong west wind begins to make ears and fingers tingle. The prediction then should state that the impending cold wave will drive the mercury to 10 degrees below zero and possibly lower. Nobody but the fuel man will be much chagrined if it comes off balmy.

In a word, the science of forecasting is to fear the worst and, thereby, never to disappoint the customers. If that isn't science, what is it?

THE NATION'S CREDIT

It is not a pleasant situation when a government's fiscal problems become so delicate, as Secretary Morgenthau put it, that a mere rumor set afloat by some unscrupulous person without official standing may embarrass its financing program.

However, the situation exists. And, since it does exist, no right-thinking citizen can have anything but indignation and contempt for the person who, according to charges made by Mr. Morgenthau, deliberately circulated the false report that unsettled dollar exchange last week. Liarous is the only term that adequately covers fiscal sabotage of this sort.

We doubt that Mr. Morgenthau is right when he imputes to the unnamed saboteur the motive of "trying to embarrass the administration." A version of the rumors in question, it is true, seemingly was picked up and exploited by some of the partisan press. But these newspapers surely must have accepted the reports in good faith.

What we cannot stomach is that any American would set out deliberately to undermine the credit of his country for purposes of partisan advantage. We prefer to think the rumors were the work of a mere speculator, whose motives would be more understandable, if no more savory.

Of course, leap year is an opportunity to the type of girl who has to resort to mischief at Yuletide to get action.

March is to be set aside as Highway Safety Month. Meanwhile the wild driver has a 29-day February to land his man.

In Turkey the ruler's decree is called an irade. Under our New Deal it's the same word with a "d"—by radio.

ECHOES OF THE PAST

By Courier Staff Member

Review of the news as it appeared in the Bucks County Gazette issue dated at Bristol, July 30, 1874. The Gazette, a weekly newspaper published at Bristol, was discontinued following its merger with the Courier.

On Wednesday of last week the scaffolding at Rev. Hyde's new building gave way and precipitated the carpenters who were at work to the ground. They fell about sixteen feet, the injuries of two of them being severe but not serious.

The old Delaware bridge at Trenton is undergoing repairs. The iron work of the new bridge is now being made in Pittsburgh, and it is thought will be ready for erection about the 1st of October.

Frank Fox, employed as a deck hand on the Twilight was drowned in the Delaware, at Tacony, last Tuesday. He was throwing a line from the boat to the wharf when he lost his balance and fell overboard. Captain Crawford immediately jumped in after him but was unable to rescue him. The body was recovered in about an hour. It was conveyed to the morgue, an inquest held, and a verdict of accidental drowning rendered.

A little son of John Magee, of Trenton, formerly of Yardleyville, fell into the canal at the latter place a few days ago, and narrowly escaped a watery grave.

Last Tuesday, David H. Lyndall, while at work on the new buildings of Joseph Foster, on Wood street, was overcome by the heat. Dr. Groom was sent for and he has now recovered.

On Wednesday, the 5th of August, the Sunday Schools connected with the Neshaminy and Attleboro's Methodist Churches, will hold their annual harvest home and celebration on Langhorn's Hill. Eminent speakers are expected, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

One of our up-county exchanges has this: "Fechter, the actor, whose home is near Quakertown, and who has been fulfilling a remunerative engagement in California, is about putting in an appearance, judging from three wagon-loads of baggage received at the express office, consisting of fourteen immense clothes hamper, five trunks, seven hat-boxes, etc."

On Wednesday of last week, Miss Ida Troxel, daughter of Hon. Henry Troxel, committed suicide at the residence of her brother-in-law, Dr. Trumbauer in Richland Township.

She arose as usual on Wednesday morning, but shortly afterwards was seized with convulsions. She confessed she had taken strychnine, after it was too late to counteract the influence of the poison. The only reason she gave for committing the act was that she felt a little homesick.

On Sunday last a daughter of Abraham Keller, a prominent citizen of Bedminster Township, committed suicide by hanging. The young lady had been sick for several weeks, suffering from typhoid fever, but had so far recovered as to be considered out of danger. The family had gone to church leaving her in the care of an attendant. During the absence of the attendant she went to the garret and suspended herself by the neck, and when her body was found life was extinct. An inquest was held and a verdict rendered in accordance with the facts.

WARMINSTER—A reward is offered for the detection of some unknown person who trod down a long row of fine corn in the field of Gen. Davis, near Davisville, leaving the print of his shoe at every corn hill.

The laying of the track of the North-East railroad is now completed, but trains will not run to the Bristol Road till the change of time, which occurs about the first of November.

MORELAND—Rev. Mr. Lowrie, pastor of the Abington Presbyterian Church, preached his farewell sermon on last Sabbath morning, to a large and appreciative audience, from whom he parted with their best wishes and prayers.

Much amusement was elicited in this vicinity recently by the disappearance of and subsequent search for two colored servants of a Willow Grove family, the description of which reminds us of the chase and capture of ye colored folks in the "sunny South" in the bonnie days of slavery.

A very large county bridge has been erected over the Penypack creek, by L. Houpt, which is quite an improvement to the crossing and to the vicinity.

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Two Ceremonies Are Held By County Scouts

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David W. Hubbert, of Perkaskie No. 3; Harvey Bishop, Forrest Miller, Donald Wood, Warren Shelly, and Herbert Stauffer, of Dublin; and Joseph Baisner, Joseph Geiger, Winford Kirk, Richard Mossbrook, Joseph Schraner, Joseph Scott, and Raymond Snyder, of Croydon.

First Class awards were given to Scouts: John Markle, Quakertown No. 1; Jack Haldeman, Doylestown No. 2; Robert Andrassy, Langhorne; Henry Miller, South Langhorne; Paul Vandergrift, Bristol No. 2; Robert Horton, Siles; Paul Ent, Milford; Sylvanus B. King, Carversville; Clarence Phillips and Elwood Strohm, Perkaskie No. 3; Joseph Haenn, Dublin; Matthew Domowich, Harold McDade, and Francis McGovern, Croydon; and Seascout Jack Mossbrook of the Seascout Ship "Rainbow Clipper" of Croydon.

Star Scout badges were presented to: George Mountney and Charles Scheffey, Bristol No. 1; Richard Cyphers, Walter L. Huff, Jr., and Charles Weiss, Riegelsville; Robert R. Peter, Andalusia; Eugene Speer, Doylestown No. 2; Scoutmaster Gilbert W. Carlin, Joseph Clark, Arthur Drach, Alton Good, Harold Ries, and Albert Wick, Chalfont; A. Howard Boehret, Chalfont Rover Crew, and Joseph Livezey, Sr., Milford.

Life Scout badges were awarded to Russell Snyder, Quakertown No. 1; John Sigafos, Doylestown No. 2; Scoutmaster F. Leslie Craven, Aldridge Everitt and Ralph Hart, Bristol No. 7; William Getz, Siles; and William Livezey, Arling Woolaver and Roger Ziegler, Milford.

The following merit badges were awarded: Sellersville—Earl Bader, personal health; Bristol No. 1—George Mountney, carpentry, handicraft, plumbing, woodcarving and woodwork; and Charles Scheffey, plumbing and weather; Quakertown No. 1—Kenneth Fluck, bird study, civics, safety, scholarship; Arlington Lewis, athletics, bookbinding, public health and safety; John Markle, animal industry and first aid to animals; and Russell Snyder, athletics, public health and safety; Perkaskie No. 1—Herbert Magargal, Jr., basketry, first aid, handicraft, pottery, safety, scholarship, swimming, woodcarving and woodwork; Cornwells—James Hutton, first aid, handicraft and public health; Alvin Marshall, Jr., first aid, public health and scholarship; and Harold E. Turner, first aid, handicraft, personal health and public health; Trevoise—Frank Katrobe, firemanship; E. J. Ritzenhouse, firemanship and personal health; George Roeschen, farm home and its planning, masonry and pathfinding; Carl Schreiber, handicraft and safety; and John Werlen, safety.

Riegelsville—Richard Cyphers, carpentry, personal health, public health, reading, scholarship, swimming, woodcarving and woodwork; Clarence Fox, personal health and reading; Walter Ruff, Jr., carpentry, electricity, personal health, reading and scholarship; Nevin Kirk, carpentry; and Charles Weiss, electricity, first aid, scholarship and woodwork; Andalusia—Scoutmaster John W. Ferguson, cooking; William Junghans, athletics, photography, and scholarship; Robert Lange, cooking, handicraft, photography and scholarship; Charles Lehr, carpentry, handicraft and photography; Robert R. Peter, carpentry, cement work, cooking, handicraft, painting, photography, poultry keeping and wood work; Howard Pickersgill, handicraft and photography; Louis Tomlinson, scholarship, and assistant Scoutmaster John W. Wilkens, photography.

Seascout Ship "Wasp," Andalusia—Skipper Harry A. Behm, automobiling, camping, canoeing, cooking, farm mechanics, first aid, fruit culture, handicraft, life saving, photography, pigeon raising, poultry keeping, reptile study, swimming and wood work; Doylestown No. 2—Dillwyn Darlington, carpentry, firemanship, mechanical drawing and woodcarving; Robert N. Dippy, Jr., camping and civics; John S. Haldeman, woodwork; John Sigafos, athletics, carpentry, civics, firemanship, mechanical drawing and reading, and Eugene Speer, first aid, leathercraft, personal health, public health and reading; Langhorne—Ernest Gamble, life saving, personal health and swimming.

South Langhorne—Fred Mueller,

carpentry, firemanship, handicraft and woodcarving; Morrisville No. 3—Harry Cash, firemanship; Robert Jennings, firemanship; Harry Miller, Jr., firemanship; C. Runyon, carpentry; and Arthur White, carpentry; Chalfont—Joseph Clark, safety; Arthur Drach, carpentry, swimming and woodcarving; Alton Good, first aid, first aid to animals, leathercraft, pathfinding, public health, safety; and Albert Wick, handicraft, pathfinding, public health and safety; Chalfont Rover Crew—A. Howard Boehret, scholarship; New Britain—Alan Orr, bird study and first aid; Bristol No. 7—Scoutmaster F. Leslie Craven, athletics, handicraft, leathercraft, personal health and woodcarving; Aldridge Everitt, handicraft, personal health and swimming; and Gillette Vandergrift, handicraft and scholarship; Siles—William Getz, camping, farm home and personal health; Robert Horton, scholarship and swimming, William Sackville, bird study, camping and farm home, and George Wright, Jr., bird study, life saving and swimming.

Milford—Joseph Livezey, conservation, personal health and public health; William Livezey, personal health, physical development, pioneering and public health; William McBride, handicraft, music, woodcarving; Lynn Strouse, camping, farm home, gardening and salesmanship, Arling Woolaver, camping and physical development, and Roger Ziegler, camping, physical development, pioneering, reading and scholarship; Quakertown No. 2—Stuart Badman, camping; Kenneth Gerhart, bird study, camping, cooking, firemanship, photography, reading, rowing, safety, scholarship and weather; Ralph Nicholas, bird

study, camping, civics, life saving, pathfinding and swimming.

Five year veteran awards were made to: George R. Knoll, chairman group committee of Andalusia; Harry E. Oliver, neighborhood commissioner of Andalusia; Philip R. Crouthamel, Doylestown No. 1; James M. Marlon, Yardley; Scoutmaster John W. Ferguson, chairman troop committee Louis C. Hartman, William Junghans, Louis Tomlinson, and assistant scoutmaster John Wilkens, Andalusia; Francis Birkebach, Robert D. Chapman, Geo. F. Knoll, William G. Lange, of the Seascout Ship "Wasp" of Andalusia; John R. Gould, Morrisville No. 3; Alan S. Orr, Jr., New Britain; Scoutmaster F. Leslie Craven, Bristol No. 7; and Francis Ritter, Quakertown No. 2. Ten year veteran to field commissioner Walter V. Rutherford, and fifteen year veteran to council scout commissioner William Burgess, Jr., Morrisville.

REFUSE 13th LICENSE

BOSTON—(INS)—Stage folk do not care for the number 13. So when Virgil Dilley, of Chicago, and Chester Kniffen, of Boston, vaudeville dancers, found out their marriage license would be the 13th issued in 1936 they hemmed, hawed, and walked out, mumbled about applying for a waiver of the five-day notice. Later the pair re-entered the clerk's office, learned the next license was number 16 and filed intentions to wed.

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"HIGH SCHOOL TRAGEDY"

by MAXINE CANTY

CHAPTER XXIX

Allen's jaw set, he looked at me quickly. Then he answered, "He made her terribly unhappy. He's selfish and he's untrue to her. Bruce Lloyd deserves punishment for that alone."

He meant it, too. I think he would have seen Bruce Lloyd hang, whether he was guilty or not, and felt that it was just. Allen was just not normal, that's all; he was fatal.

Neither the folks nor the newspapers mentioned Melvin that night; so of course, I didn't bring the subject up. But I rose before the others and ran down to the front porch to get the Sunday papers the next morning. On the front page of the *Courier* was Melvin's picture, taken in one of those cheap galleries probably. A light hat was cocked on the side of his head, he held a cigarette in his hand, and he was smiling a crooked, sneering smile. He hoped at the time, no doubt, that he looked tough. Beside him were the two men I had seen handcuffed the day before. Their photographs were full of the police variety, taken full face. They were not physically so bad looking but their expressions made them crafty, sly, ruthless.

The headline read: "HIGH SCHOOL YOUTH IN CUSTODY." Under that was: "Melvin Wright Picked Up With Gang Pals Yesterday." This was followed by the story, part of which I'll quote.

Melvin Wright, local high school student questioned in connection with the Sinclair murder mystery, was picked up again yesterday by Detectives Atwater and Smith at a pool hall on the South Side, in company with "Slim" Ricardo and Mike Zdeb. Both are known to police. Ricardo was once convicted of stealing an automobile and served a term at San Quentin. Zdeb has no prison record.

The men deny any knowledge of the crime or any connection with the Wright boy. They state that he was known to them because he frequented the pool hall, admit that they had once or twice given him liquor, and that he has taken the sister of Ricardo to local dance halls.

On the other hand, the youth, under severe questioning, separated from the other men, told a different story. He alleges that he knows the men well, that he has been on "drinking parties" with them, and that they have talked to him about their "business." It has not been revealed to the press what the nature of this "business" is.

So Melvin had broken at last! I read on eagerly through all the "alleges" and "it is said" that dot such a story. It looked to me as if Melvin had "spilled the beans." I wondered if one of those racketeers had egged him on to kill Connie? What would happen to him then? Would he hang, at his age?

The San Francisco paper played up a more sensational angle of the testimony Melvin gave, namely that one of these men had given him the gun which the police had found. He admitted that the three of them had planned to hold up a dance hall on the outskirts of St. Joseph on Wednesday night. Melvin was to take Ricardo's girl there, with the gun concealed safely in his pocket. Ricardo gave him the gun Wednesday afternoon, instead of Thursday as he had first said.

But on Wednesday, Miss Sinclair spoiled their plans. She refused to sign the boy's parole. The men were furious, for they had depended on Melvin to get into the dance hall manager's office where he could hold up the manager himself while the girl opened the door for the other two to make the robbery. Now that the kid knew the plans, they felt (so the police seemed to think) that he had to be in on it in order to insure his silence. They advised him to see Connie.

He went to her apartment Wednesday night, but she was out. So on Thursday he returned. He felt desperate about it because the men were pushing him to get it settled. He admired these ruffians exceedingly; he wanted to be one of them. More than that, he was probably afraid of them.

Connie had disrupted their plans, for with the parole unsigned, Melvin might be held by the probation officers and "squealed," or he might be watched. Either one of these possibilities was dangerous for them. They postponed their holdup until Saturday, the next big box-office night at the dance place. They impressed the necessity on Melvin of getting that parole signed by Friday. So he had gone to Miss Sinclair's at eight that night, Thursday. He admitted that he was high-strung and desperate, that he had come to hate her, that he demanded she sign the paper, and that they quarrelled violently when she refused.

Asked what he did after leaving her at eight-thirty, he told of meeting Ricardo and Zdeb, of their abusing him and reviling him for his failure, of his drinking with them and trying to plead his case with them. After that he insisted that he could remember nothing more until the next morning.

Thus Melvin took the spotlight from them all. His motive for killing her was strengthened 100% by this story. A boy, anxious to please his gangster heroes, thwarted by a woman who had gained his hatred anyway, fortified by bad liquor, fearful of his older pals, armed with a gun, might most conceivably have returned to her apartment within the hour and committed the crime.

The day was a dark one for Melvin Wright.

There was one spot in Melvin's story that was interesting from any point of view. While the authori-

ties had been so busy tracing the activities of each of the suspects involved before and after the murder, no one had thought of finding out what Connie herself was doing before that Thursday night. From Melvin's tale, the fact came out that when he went to see her Wednesday night, she was out. The logical question everyone asked now was: Where was she?

So Wednesday and its events had to be reconstructed. The papers didn't do a complete job of it as they didn't know about Allen. Of course, I did; so I pieced out a fairly complete record. Bruce, accompanied by Bernice Carter, tried to telephone her at the high school. Failing to reach her, he then sent the yellow roses.

We know that those yellow roses had a special meaning for her when she returned home that afternoon about four o'clock and found them waiting for her. She must have been tempted first to throw them away, as I think any girl would have done. But some sentimental thought or some faint glimmer of hope interfered. She unpacked them and put them in the vase on her table where Dicky and I had seen them.

In spite of the hope she must have still retained, she was exceedingly sad. It was in tears that Allen found her when he called around four-thirty. Her appearance naturally stirred my brother's pity and, feeling as he did about her, aroused some protective instinct. He demanded to know what the trouble was that had made his heroine unhappy. I suppose, knowing boys, that he hoped it was some awful dragon that he could go out and slay, thus earning the right to be "happy ever after."

"I wonder if Dicky would ever feel that way about me? I would say not! At his age, a girl a year or so younger is never so mysterious and appealing as one eight or ten years older! Why, I have never been able to fathom."

But to return to Allen: Instead of accepting him as a hero, Connie looked at him as just as impertinent high school kid with whom she had been too patient. Immersed in her own sorrows, she told him he was presumptuous and ordered him to leave.

When Melvin called between seven-thirty and eight, she had gone. No one in St. Joseph could be found who remembered seeing her. But in San Francisco, an officer went to Bruce Lloyd's hotel on Geary Street. This is occupied by young bachelors mostly. The night clerk believed that it was October 10th that a woman called to ask for Lloyd. Mr. Lloyd, he said, had been out of town for several days. He had not called for his mail. He did not know where he could be found.

The woman was disappointed, hesitated, asked for stationery, and wrote a note which she left for Bruce. The officer asked the clerk to describe the girl.

(To Be Continued)

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Events for Tonight

Card party for Lily Rebekah Lodge in Odd Fellows hall.

HERE FOR STAYS

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Morris, McKinley street, the latter part of the week, will be Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Miller and daughters, Helen and Anna, and Miss Doris White, Trenton, N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Edward Darbell, New York City, paid a visit the latter part of last week, to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Bartle, Garden street.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Barnfield, Mansion street, over the week-end will be Mrs. William Nealon and daughter Joan, Tacony.

As visitors last week, Mr. and Mrs. Paul White, New Buckley street, had Mrs. White's parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Gilliland, Pineville.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Rapp, Philadelphia, were guests over the week-end of Mr. and Mrs. Edward McDevitt, 268 Jackson street.

VISIT HERE

During this week, Mr. and Mrs. William A. Campbell, 348 Jackson street, will have as guests, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Chavis, Collingdale, and Mrs. F. Warren MacDowell, Chestnut Hill.

Ralph Cahall, Jr., Media, week-ended with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cahall, Sr., 242 Monroe street.

Miss Gertrude Quinn, Logan, passed the week-end with Miss Mary Jo McGee, Washington street. Miss Marguerite McGee was a Friday dinner guest of Miss Marion Brent, Frankford, and later with her brother, James McGee and a group of Philadelphians, attended the Northeast Catholic High-Roman Catholic High basketball game.

Visiting Mrs. Mary Dugan during this week will be Mr. and Mrs. Fred Brown, Philadelphia.

Meivin Stout, Philadelphia, paid a visit the latter part of the week to Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stout, Jefferson avenue.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Smith, 321 Washington street, during last week was Mrs. Marion Young, Trenton, N. J.

Herman Norman, New York City, was an overnight guest last week of Mr. and Mrs. David Norman, Mill St.

Francis Rodbard, Germantown, and children, Collingswood, N. J., Mrs. passed the week-end with Mr. and

Mrs. Granville Stephenson, Jefferson avenue.

RECOVERING

Mrs. David Hutchinson, Pine street, is recovering at her home from an attack of illness.

VISITING AWAY

Joseph Kausnick, Farragut avenue, spent the past few days visiting relatives in Passaic, N. J.

The week-end was spent by Miss Viola Smedburg, West Circle, in East Rutherford, N. J., with relatives.

Visiting relatives and friends in Philadelphia, over Saturday and Sunday was Miss Thelma Adams, McKinley street.

Mrs. George Mabery, Garden street, week-ended in Colonia, N. J., as guest of her sister, Mrs. A. Madison. Miss Elizabeth Mabery, with a party of Philadelphians spent Sunday in Atlantic City, N. J.

Several days last week were spent by Mrs. Richard Myers, Otter street, in Lansdowne, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lawrence, Jr.

Miss Marie Gallagher, Mansion street, was a guest the latter part of the week of relatives in Tacony.

The Misses Meta and Emily Landreth, 1024 Radcliffe street, were Thursday and Friday guests of the Misses Shippen and Helen Montgomery Haines, Gulph Mill Road. Miss Meta Landreth was a Saturday and Sunday guest of Miss Sally Macleod, Berwyn.

BIRTHDAYS OF TWO ARE CELEBRATED AT DELIGHTFUL AFFAIR

Miss Minerva Anderson and Mrs. Arthur McMahon Are Both Honored

The birthday anniversary of Miss Minerva Anderson, Garden street, and that of her aunt, Mrs. Arthur McMahon, Collingswood, N. J., were observed, Saturday evening, with a party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Hendrickson, Garden street.

Guests were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jenks, Miss Dorothy Anderson, Mrs. Ida Stackhouse, Joseph Winslow, Bristol; Mr. and Mrs. Arthur McMahon and children, Collingswood, N. J.; Mrs. Harmon Rodgers, Mr. and Mrs.

Charles Rodgers, the Misses Thelma and Ruth Rodgers and Kenneth Rodgers, Haddonfield, N. J., and Miss Helen Conover, Trenton, N. J.

"SOCIAL EIGHT" IS FORMED AT HOME OF MRS. EDWIN MOORE

Mrs. Edwin Moore, Otter street, was hostess Thursday evening to a group, who organized a club known as the "Social Eight," which will meet weekly. Dancing and games were enjoyed and a buffet supper served.

Attendants: Mrs. Alfred Bobbs, Mrs. Jack Waters, Mrs. Clifford Hagerman, the Misses Alice Nelson, B. Lovett, Elva Mitchell, Alma Bennett and Rita Burke.

Officers elected: President, Miss Lovett; vice-president, Miss Mitchell; treasurer, Miss Bennett; secretary, Mrs. Bobbs; reporter, Miss Nelson.

HULMEVILLE

Mrs. Edward Davis has been confined to her home with a severe cold.

Tomorrow evening Mrs. Edwin W. Henry, Sr., will be hostess to members of the Methodist Ladies' Aid Society at a business and social meeting.

A covered dish supper is planned by the Hulmeville Woman's Christian Temperance Union in the Methodist

Church, Wednesday evening, Lincoln's Birthday.

STATE NEWS

GROVE CITY — (INS) — Crops valued at \$13,867.24 were produced during the year 1935 at the 220-acre farm at the Wayside Inn, home for the aged Odd Fellows here, according to a recent report by Superintendent A. G. Eichholtz.

The report, made to the board of directors, lists 15 deaths during the year, and 14 guests admitted. The total number now stands at 121.

BROWNSVILLE — (INS) — Bill Bradley, 118-pound wrestler for Waynesburg College, lost a lot of time, energy and weight recently and all for naught.

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succeeded in complying with the weight requirement.

Later it was discovered that Pitt had not entered in the 118-pound class and Bill had to take on a 128 pounder. The plucky lad won a time advantage of more than four minutes despite his weakened condition.

NO CARICATURES

TOKYO, Japan — (INS) — In view

of the increasing number of caricatures of the rulers of various foreign countries in the Japanese newspapers the Peace Maintenance Bureau of the Home Office have distributed circular letters to all the newspapers and magazines throughout Japan urging them to refrain from printing the caricatures of the chiefs of foreign countries.

Classified Advertising Department

Announcements

Deaths

CONLEY—At Burlington, N. J., February 6, 1936, Harry, husband of Ida Grayson Conley. Relatives and friends, also members of Trenton Lodge, No. 161 L. O. O. F., Spanish-American War Veterans, and employees of Florence Heights Foundry and Machine Co., are invited to attend the funeral from his late residence, 223 York St., Burlington, N. J., Tuesday, Feb. 11, at 2:00. Interment in Odd Fellows Cemetery. Friends may call Monday evening.

HIGHLAND—At Bristol, Pa., February 9, 1936, Louis R., husband of Annie Harkins Highland. Relatives and friends are invited to the funeral services from his late residence, 121 Walnut St., Bristol, Wednesday, at 2:00. Interment in Bristol Cemetery. Friends may call Tuesday evening.

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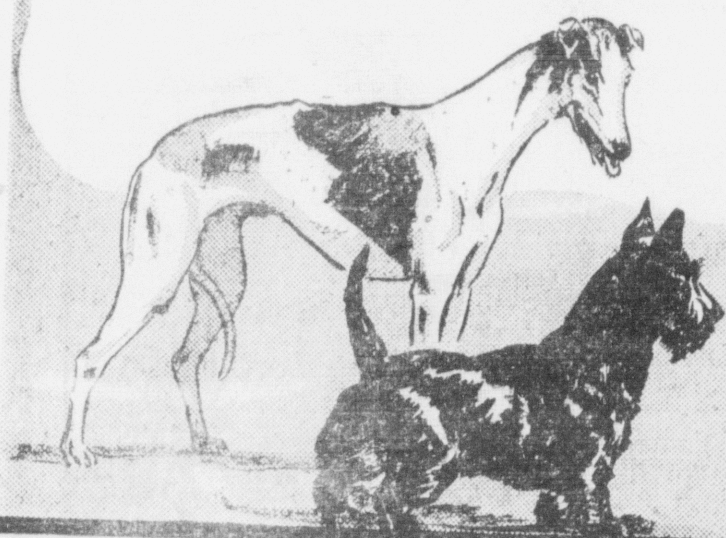
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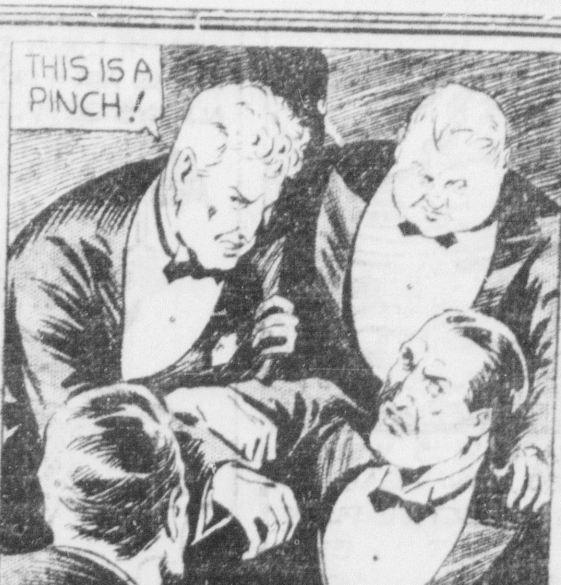
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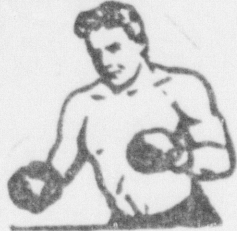
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First place will be at stake tonight as two fast games are scheduled in the Bristol Amateur Basketball League. In the opener, the Third Ward Rangers will play the Hibernians, while in the night-cap the Moose and the Young Men's Association clash. The tilts will be played on the Italian Mutual Aid floor.

Fans have their eyes focussed on the Moose-Y. M. A. classic. Both of these quintets are undefeated in the second half. Y. M. A. has beaten the Hibernians and Odd Fellows, while the Moose has been triumphant over the Hibernians and St. Ann's. The Moose used Birchenough and Manczak in its last game to be strengthened up. The Y's have lost Jack Broadwick but still have Kleinfelder, Whitey Fitton and Allen Barcalow.

Marty Fallon's Hibos will present a new lineup tonight. Dropping their first two tilts of the second half has sent Fallon scurrying, with the result that now he has Jack Broadwick, Jimmy Lake, Joie Massick, Syd Pietrowski, Gige Dougherty, Joe Gallagher, John Dougherty, Joe Kervick, Eddie Roe and Ad Roe. The Rangers are banking on Morgan, Tulio, Borinice, and the Burlington boys, Lou Parker and Tommy Morrissey.

First game will start at eight o'clock, sharp.

VARIPAPA OVER-RATED, SAY BRISTOL BOWLERS

Andy Varipapa, crack bowler, did not do so well in Bristol, and as the "fans" expressed their feelings, he is very much over-rated. He bowled at the Recreation Center.

The scores:

Varipapa	166	.....	Hirsh	186
	218	.....	Amlison	178
	198	.....	Moffo	177
	191	.....	Stewart	142
	212	.....	Mrs. Barnmaster	160
	180	.....	Brooks	172
	220	.....	Wichner	134
	247	.....	Yeagle	176
	198	.....	Korkel	147
	203	.....	O'Boyle	170

BENSALEM WRESTLERS DEFEAT GEORGE SCHOOL

The Bensalem grapplers won their third straight wrestling meet at the expense of the George School wrestlers by the score of 30½ to 6½.

Jones, Scarborough, Turner and Maginnis won by falls. Scarborough's fall was his third straight victory by a fall. Rigby, Chapman and Ridge won by time advantages in their respective classes for Bensalem.

Sackville, of Bensalem, and Guhan, of George School, grappled to a draw in the 85-lb. class.

The George School's only victory was Wilson's fall over Servis in the 115-lb. class.

Summary:

85-lb. class: Guhan, G. S., drew with Sackville, B.; Bensalem 1½ points, George School 1½ points.

95-lb.: Jones, B., threw Swayne, G. S., in 2:50; Bensalem 5 points.

105-lb.: Rigby, B., won by time advantage of 3:05 over Timpson, G. S.; Bensalem 3 points.

115-lb.: Wilson, G. S., threw Lewis, B., 1:02; George School 5 points.

125-lb.: Chapman, B., won by time advantage of 4:10 from Koller, G. S.; Bensalem 3 points.

135-lb.: Scarborough, B., three Bohlman, G. S., 3:50; Bensalem 5 points.

145-lb.: Turner, B., threw Stabler, G. S., 6:05; Bensalem 5 points.

155-lb.: Maginnis, B., threw Serrill, G. S., 6:50; Bensalem 5 points.

165-lb.: Ridge, B., won by time advantage of 4:42 over Angars, G. S.; Bensalem 3 points.

Totals:

Bensalem	30½
George School	6½

Judge Keller Opens National Scout Week

Continued from Page One

service record extending over a period of twenty-six years. Today, I have seen a boy who I knew as a Tenderfoot Scout, and he is receiving at this Court of Honor an award with the service record of a leader. This is service from youth to youth. Skipper Behm had accomplished the passing of fifteen merit badges since the last Court of Honor. Two of the merit badges had never been passed before in the Council—fruit culture, and pigeon raising. His other merit badges were automobiling, camping, canoeing, cooking, farm mechanics, first aid, handicraft, life saving, photography, poultry keeping, reptile study, swimming, and woodwork.

District Chairman Walter W. Pitzouka while presenting the Star Scout Awards said, "Your being here this afternoon shows you have been practicing your Scout Oath and Law in your daily life. It should mean you are living up to your Scout Motto of 'Being Prepared.'" Commodore Thomas Stockham issued the many merit badges to a large group of scout seascouts and leaders. He reminded

that boys and men that "we merit what we earn." His thought was that all of the efforts of mankind were made to overcome ill feeling towards one another. "Scouting is a program to defend the right," proved a strong point in his remarks. District Chairman A. R. Hendricks drove straight to the point of a Scout's responsibility. In point after point of being a real Scout he made everyone conscious of their obligations. He made a very forceful impression on the boys receiving First Class rank.

Dr. A. J. Strathie, chairman of the educational committee, made two presentations. The first was to the Second Class Scouts. "Advancement is the heart of Scouting," said "Doc." "Advancement keeps up the morale of your Scout Troop—it makes 'Troop Spirit.' Boys who advance are outstanding in their living up to their Oath and Law." Scout Dillwyn Darlington was given the Gold Quill Award for Journalistic effort by Dr. Strathie. Scout Darlington of Doylestown No. 2 had written hundreds of inches of newspaper copy to be eligible for the recognition.

"One of the pleasures of being the Scout Commissioner is to present the Veteran Scout awards for those having a Scouting Service record. It is fellows like you that is making our Scouting show steady progress. The veteran sticks to his task, and does a good job. You are doing this as shown by your record," said the Scout Commissioner of the Bucks County Scouting Council as he awarded the five and ten year veteran emblems. Scout Executive William F. Livermore concluded the veteran awards by presenting the fifteen year recognition to Scout Commissioner Burgess.

The invocation starting the afternoon program was given by Scoutmaster Rev. Ernest Vanden Bosch, of Hartsville. District American Legion Representative Harold N. Price led in the Pledge of Allegiance ceremonies. Bugle calls were blown by Assistant Scoutmaster William M. Garlin, Jr. The Rover Crew of Chalfont, led by Rover Crew Leader Charles Poole, and Assistant Rover Crew Leader Eugene Boehret, were the ushers. Members of the Crew assisting were all from Chalfont: Howard Boehret, Gilbert W. Carlin, William M. Carlin, Walter Hetterich, Fred Hellberg, and Ronald Wilson.

The Scout Law Ceremony including the National Commitment of the Scout Oath was an impressive demonstration by Scouts of Perkaskie No. 1, the 1934 and 1935 Bucks County Scoutcraft "Champs," led by Scoutmaster Clarence Souder. National Headquarters Representative Asher Biehm gave the leadership in the renewing of the Scout Oath. Members of Perkaskie No. 1 taking part were: William Blintzer, Gerald Fluck, Russell Fretz, Richard Gulick, Ralph Haring, Herbert Magargal, James Moyer, Willard Myers, Wilmer Moyer, Richard Scheetz, William Snyder, William Vancott, Charles A. Weisel and Charles W. Weisel.

There was a Scouter's Moment of Silence to commemorate the splendid service to Scouting rendered by Camp Committee Chairman Henry Palmer, of Langhorne. Judge Keller spoke of the devotion, and hours of service rendered by Mr. Palmer during the eight years he gave leadership to camping while a member of the Bucks County Scouting Council Executive Board.

Quakertown No. 2 repeated its splendid dramatization of the King Arthur Ceremony for Eagle Scouts, led by Field Commissioner of Training O. Kenneth Fretz. The cast included: Father Time, Cubmaster Clifford Reese; Herald, Robert Gulden; Page, Allen Fluck; Merlin, Robert Hoffman; The Guard, Clyde Badman, Luther Bartholomew, Willard Fly and Earl Kline; and King Arthur, as in previous years, was capably played by Mr. Fretz. The scene is staged in the castle court room with banners of medieval times, and in candle light. The copy was composed by Field Commissioner and Mrs. O. Kenneth Fretz, Scoutmaster J. Kenneth Minninger of Sellersville, and Scout Executive William F. Livermore.

Scout Leaders assisting Scout Executive William F. Livermore in the awards were: District Commissioners Harold D. R. Crumrine, Langhorne; Paul R. Sine of Perkaskie; and Raymond O. Gilbert of Churchville; and Neighborhood Commissioner David Neill of Bristol.

The beautiful lighting effects were the work of Field Commissioner of First Aid and Safety George E. Dorfner. Mr. Dorfner went to considerable effort to arrange the flood light tower, and spot light controls. He also con-

trolled the music during the Order of the Arrow, and Eagle Scout Ceremonies. The work of arranging the lights is one of the most important functions necessary for the successful conducting of the Court. This has always been capably done by Field Commissioner Dorfner. Field Commissioner of Training Walter V. Rutherford directed the main spot light controls during the Court.

Scout Executive Livermore called the attention of those attending the Court of Honor to the presence of four

uniformed Women's Auxiliary members from Andalusia. The Auxiliary uniform consists of a complete white uniform with a cape comprising the neckerchief colors of the Cub Packs, Scout Troops, and Seascout Ships. Mr. Livermore led the Scout's Benediction which was followed by Taps, concluding the Court of Honor.

FAMILY WEDS FAMILY

SHANGHAI — (INS) — An extraordinary "mass" wedding—in which

a widower and his three sons have married a widow and her three daughters—has taken place in a village in Nan On district, Kwangtung Province, China. Both the widow and the widowed were aged 40. "Mass" marriages are encouraged in China on the grounds of economy but this is believed to be the first time a family has wed a family.

GAMBLE IN DEATH

BATHURST, New South Wales —

(INS)—Fred Jennings, a picturesque 74-year-old resident of Bathurst, creator of a war memorial famous throughout Australia, who never concealed his love of gambling, has had his last "gamble"—as he lay in his coffin. Carrying out a death-bed request, one of his friends tossed two pennies on the coffin before it was covered with earth.

LURE OF THE SIREN

BOSTON — (INS) — A wide grin

on the face of a ten-year-old boy caught the eye of Patrolman Michael Murphy, who arrived at a fire box the same time as the fire engines. Murphy did a little questioning and found the youth had turned in the false alarm because he liked to hear "the big horn." After a stern lecture, Murphy turned the boy over to his parents, who in turn added to the lecture physically.

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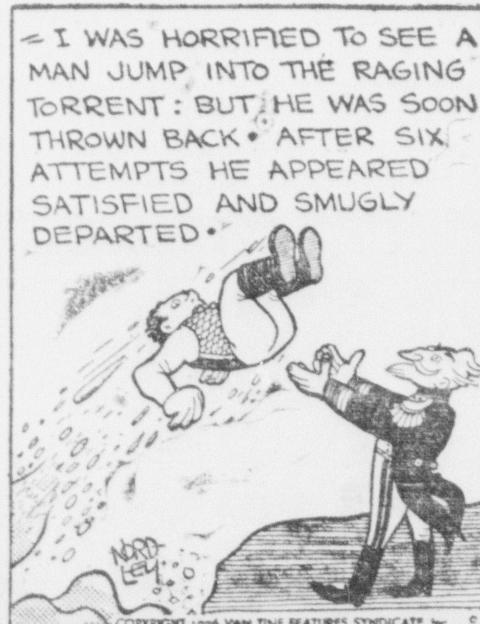
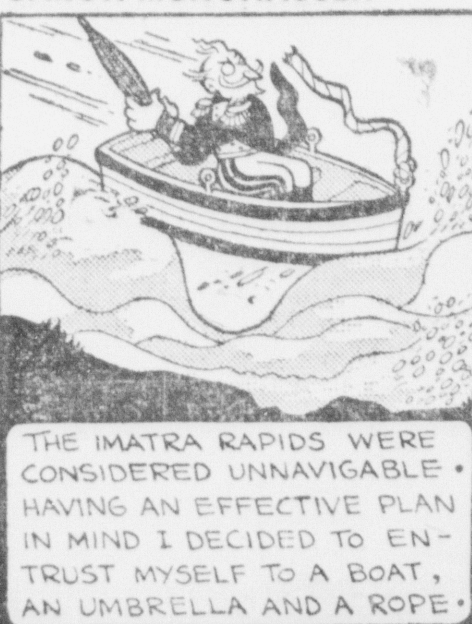
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MOOSE vs. Y. M. A.

Admission: Gents, 25c; Ladies, 15c; Children, 10c

TAP-OFF: 8 P. M.

BARON MUNCHAUSEN



—By Fred Nordley